

accompanying papers, reports, and documents, which were referred as indicated:

EC-2711. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Law, Office of Procurement and Assistance Policy, Department of Energy, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Assistance Regulation; Administrative Amendment" (RIN1991-AB58) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-2712. A communication from the Director of the Office of Regulations Management, Veterans Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Payment or Reimbursement for Emergency Treatment Furnished at Non-VA Facilities" (RIN2900-AK08) received on July 10, 2001; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

EC-2713. A communication from the Acting Administrator of the Small Business Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report concerning Minority Small Business and Capital Ownership Development for Fiscal Year 2000; to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship.

EC-2714. A communication from the Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Office of Community Planning and Development, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Designation of Round III Urban Empowerment Zones and Renewal Communities" (RIN2506-AC09) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2715. A communication from the Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Office of the Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Prohibited Purchasers in Foreclosure Sales of Multifamily Projects with HUD-Held Mortgages and Sales of Multifamily HUD-Owned Projects" (RIN2501-AC89) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2716. A communication from the Chairman of the Board of the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of the Inspector General for the period from October 1, 2000 to March 31, 2001; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-2717. A communication from the Acting Chief Administrative Officer/Secretary of the Postal Rate Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a vacancy and the designation of acting officer for the position of Chairman/Commissioner, received on July 10, 2001; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-2718. A communication from the Deputy Secretary of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to sexual harassment complaints and sexual misconduct for Fiscal Year 1998; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-2719. A communication from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a retirement; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-2720. A communication from the Secretary of the Navy, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Administrative/Management Support function at Naval Air Systems Command, Naval Air Warfare Center Aircraft Division at Lakehurst, Ocean County, New Jersey; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-2721. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of the Pension and Welfare

Benefits Administration, Department of Labor, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974; Rules and Regulations for Administrative and Enforcement; Claims Procedure" (RIN1210-AA61) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2722. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Administrative and Management, Department of Labor, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the discontinuation of service in acting role for the position of Wage and Hour Administrator, EX-V, Wage and Hour Division, received on July 10, 2001; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2723. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Administration and Management, Department of Labor, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the designation of acting officer for the position of Wage and Hour Administrator, EX-V, received on July 10, 2001; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2724. A communication from the Acting Assistant Attorney General for Administration, Justice Management Division, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "National Automated Immigration Lookout System (NAILS); Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS)" (Justice/INS-032) received on July 10, 2001; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-2725. A communication from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Refugee Resettlement Program for the period from October 1, 1998 through September 30, 1999; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-2726. A communication from the Chief of the Division of General and International Law, Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Service Obligation Reporting Requirement for USMMA Graduates and State Maritime School Graduates" (RIN2133-XX01) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2727. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Empresa Brasileira de Aeronautica SA Model EMB 135 and EMB 145 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0282)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2728. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Dornier Model 328-300 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0278)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2729. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Saab Model SAAB 2000 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0279)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2730. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of

a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Dassault Model Falcon 10 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0280)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2731. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Empresa Brasileira de Aeronautica SA Model EMB 120 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0281)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2732. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Raytheon Model BAe 125 Series 800A (C-29A and U-125 Military), 1000A, and 1000B Airplanes; Hawker 800 (U-125A Military) Airplanes, and Hawker 800 XP and 1000 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0275)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2733. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Boeing Model 747-100, 200, 300 and 747SP Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0276)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2734. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Boeing Model 737-300, 400, 500, 600, 700, 800, 757-200, 200PF, 200CB, and 757 300 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0277)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2735. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Boeing Model 737-800 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0272)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2736. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Airbus Model A330 and A340 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0271)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2737. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Kaman Aerospace Corp Model K 1200 Helicopters" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0270)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2738. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Eurocopter France Model EC 155B Helicopters" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0269)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2739. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation,

transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Bell Helicopter Textron Canada Model 407 Helicopters" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0267)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2740. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Bell Helicopter Textron Inc., Model 205A, B, 212, 412, 412EP, and 412CF Helicopters" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0268)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2741. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Boeing Model 747-100, 200, 300, 747 SP and 747 SR Series Airplanes; Powered by P and W JT9D-3 and -7 Series Engines" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0265)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2742. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: McDonnell Douglas Model DC 9-81, 82, 83, and 87 Series Airplanes and MD 88 Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0264)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2743. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Bombardier Model DHC-8-400 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0262)) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2744. A communication from the Acting Director of the Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Spiny Dogfish Fishery; Commercial Quota Harvested for Period 1" received on July 10, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2745. A communication from the Acting Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska—Amendment to the Steller Sea Lion Emergency Interim Rule (removes seasonal allocation of Pacific halibut prohibited species catch apportioned to the "shallow water trawl fishery" and closes that fishery)" (RIN0648-AO82) received on July 10, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2746. A communication from the Acting Director of the Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska—Pacific halibut and Red King Crab By Catch Rate Standards for the Second Half of 2001" received on July 10, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2747. A communication from the Deputy Chief of the Competitive Pricing Division, Common Carrier Bureau, Federal Com-

munications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Access Charge Reform, CC Docket No. 95-262, Order" (FCC 01-166) received on July 10, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2748. A communication from the Acting Director of the Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Atlantic Highly Migratory Species Fisheries; Atlantic Bluefin Tuna Recreational Fishery; Retention Limit Adjustments" (I.D. 051701G) received on July 10, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2749. A communication from the Associate Administrator for Procurement, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Security Requirements for Unclassified Information Technology Resources" (48 CFR Parts 1804 and 1852) received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2750. A communication from the Secretary of the Army and the Secretary of Agriculture, transmitting jointly, pursuant to law, a report relative to the interchange jurisdiction of Army and National Forest Service lands at Fort Leonard Wood Military Reservation in the State of Missouri; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2751. A communication from the Congressional Review Coordinator of Policy and Program Development, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Change in Disease Status of Uruguay Because of Foot-and-Mouth Disease" (Doc. No. 00-11-2) received on July 10, 2001; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2752. A communication from the Acting Administrator of the Agricultural Marketing Service, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Tart Cherries Grown in the State of Michigan, et al.; Modifications to the Rules and Regulations under the Tart Cherry Marketing Order" (Doc. No. FV01-930-3 IFR) received on July 10, 2001; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2753. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to Federal Climate Change Expenditures; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-2754. A communication from the Deputy Director of the United States Trade and Development Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the discontinuation in acting role and a nomination confirmed for the position of Director, received on July 5, 2001; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-2755. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report concerning the Central African Republic; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-2756. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "VISAS: Documentation of Nonimmigrants Under the Immigration and Nationality Act; Application for Nonimmigrant Visas: XIX Olympic Winter Games and VIII Paralympic Winter Games in Salt Lake City, Utah, 2002; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-2757. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "VISAS: Documentation of Immigrants under the Immigration and Nationality Act, as amended—Diversity Visas" (22 CFR Part 42) received on July 5, 2001; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-2758. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Arms Export Control Act, the report of a certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more to Taiwan; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. LEVIN for the Committee on Armed Services.

*Douglas Jay Feith, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Policy.

*Jessie Hill Roberson, of Alabama, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Environmental Management).

*Jack Dyer Crouch, II, of Missouri, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

*Steven John Morello, Sr., of Michigan, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Army.

*Michael Montelongo, of Georgia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force.

*Michael W. Wynne, of Florida, to be Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology.

*Dionel M. Aviles, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy.

By Mr. WARNER for the Committee on Armed Services.

*Susan Morrissey Livingston, of Montana, to be Under Secretary of the Navy.

*Peter W. Rodman, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

*Thomas P. Christie, of Virginia, to be Director of Operational Test and Evaluation, Department of Defense.

*Diane K. Morales, of Texas, to be Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Logistics and Materiel Readiness.

*William A. Navas, Jr., of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy.

*Reginald Jude Brown, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army.

*John J. Young, Jr., of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy.

*Alberto Jose Mora, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Navy.

*Stephen A. Cambone, of Virginia, to be Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Policy.

By Mr. LIEBERMAN for the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

*Kay Coles James, of Virginia, to be Director of the Office of Personnel Management.

*Othoneil Armendariz, of Texas, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for a term of five years expiring July 1, 2005.

*Nomination was reported with recommendation that it be confirmed subject to nominee's commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first